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CHRONICLE OF INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

WITH REFERENCES

Abbreviations: *Ann. sc. pol.*, Annales des sciences politiques, Paris; *Ann. Vie Int.*, Annuaire de la Vie Internationale, Brussels; *Arch. dipl.*, Archives Diplomatiques, Paris; *B.*, boletin, bulletin, bolletino; *P. A. U.*, bulletin of the Pan-American Union, Washington; *Clunet*, J. de Dr. Int. Privé, Paris; *Doc. dipl.*, France, Documents diplomatiques; *B. Rel. Ext.*, Boletin de Relaciones Exteriores; *Dr.*, droit, diritto, derecho; *D. O.*, Diario Oficial; *For. rel.*, Foreign Relations of the United States; *Ga.*, gazette, gaceta, gazzetta; *Cd.*, Great Britain, Parliamentary Papers; *Int.*, international, internacional, internazionale; *J.*, journal; *J. O.*, Journal Officiel, Paris; *L'Int. Sc.*, L'Internationalism Scientifique, The Hague; *Mém. dipl.*, Memorial diplomatique, Paris; *Monit.*, Moniteur belge, Brussels; *N. R. G.*, Nouveau recueil générale de traités, Leipzig; *Q. dipl.*, Questions diplomatiques et coloniales; *R.*, review, revista, revue, rivista; *Reichs G.*, Reichs-Gesetzblatt, Berlin; *Staats.*, Staatsblad, Gröningen; *State Papers*, British and Foreign State Papers, London; *Stat. at L.*, United States Statutes at Large; *Times*, the Times (London); *Treaty ser.*, Great Britain, Treaty series.

March, 1912.

25 PANAMA — PERU. Convention for the exchange of postal packages without declared value, signed at Panama. *El Peruano*, September 11.

April, 1912.

24 CUBA — PERU. Treaty of friendship, commerce, and navigation signed at Lima. *B. Rel. Ext.* (Lima), *45*:86–106.

June, 1912.

26–July 19. MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION OF AMERICAN JURISTS at Rio de Janeiro to prepare drafts of codes of public and private international law. *Mem. dipl.*, *50*:466; this JOURNAL, *6*:931–935; *Libro Rosado* (Salvador), August, 1912.

July, 1912.

4 BELGIUM — PORTUGAL. Ratification of the convention of January 18, 1912, relative to the establishment of telegraphic relations between the Belgian Congo and Angola. *B. Usuel*, July 4.

July, 1912.

21–28 THIRD INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF AMERICAN STUDENTS, met at Lima. *P. A. U.*, *35*:477–497. Former meetings at Montevideo, 1908, and Buenos Aires, 1910; the fourth will be held at Santiago de Chile.

22–August 9. GREAT BRITAIN — PORTUGAL. Agreement by exchange of notes at Lisbon, respecting boundaries in East Africa, Barue section — from Mazoe River to Latitude 18° 30′ S. *Treaty ser.*, No. 21, 1912.

29 ARGENTINE — URUGUAY. Protocol regarding the coasting trade signed at Montevideo. *D. O.* (Uruguay), September 14.

August, 1912.

6–12 SEVENTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF MEDICINE met in London. *La Vie Int.*, *1*:133.

10 MEXICO — SALVADOR. Promulgation by President of Mexico of the treaty of extradition signed at Guatemala January 22, 1912. *P. A. U.*, *35*:647.

11–18 INTERNATIONAL ESPERANTIST CONGRESS met at Cracow. *La Vie Int.*, *1*:144.

16 FRANCE — RUSSIA. Naval convention signed at St. Petersburg, *Q. dipl.*, *34*:310.

17 ARGENTINE — ITALY. Sanitary convention signed at Rome. *Q. dipl.*, *34*:312.

20 COLOMBIA — GREAT BRITAIN. Protocol signed at Bogota respecting the application of the treaty of commerce of February 16, 1866, to certain parts of His British Majesty's dominions. *Treaty ser.*, No. 24, 1912.

21–28 INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF MATHEMATICIANS met at London. *Times*, August 24; *R. Scientifique*, October 12.

24–31 THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW met at Christiania. The Institute accepted the invitation of the Trustees of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace to serve as General Adviser to the Division of International Law. This JOURNAL, *6*:939; *American Political Science R.*, *6*:598; *Times*, September 4. Next meeting, Oxford, 1913.

26 ARGENTINE — MEXICO. Convention signed at Buenos Aires for the transportation of diplomatic correspondence. *B. Rel. Ext.* (Buenos Aires), July, 1912.

August, 1912.

27 INTERNATIONAL GLACIER CONGRESS opened at Grenoble. *R. Scientifique*, September 7.

28–29 INTERNATIONAL DENTAL FEDERATION held its twelfth annual meeting at Stockholm. The next International Dental Congress will be in London, August, 1914. *Times*, August 31.

29 PORTUGAL — SPAIN. Exchange of notes regarding the industrial use of boundary rivers. *Ga. de Madrid*, September 17.

September, 1912.

4 PORTUGAL — SPAIN. Spain denounced by note treaty of commerce and navigation signed March 27, 1893. *Ga. de Madrid*, October 15.

6–13 EIGHTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF APPLIED CHEMISTRY met at Washington and New York. *L'Int. Sc.*, (74).

8–15 EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS met at Vienna. *Times*, September 11.

9 FOURTEENTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF ANTHROPOLOGY AND PREHISTORIC ARCHÆOLOGY met at Geneva. *Mém. dipl.*, *50*:514.

9–13 INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS FOR THE HISTORY OF RELIGIONS met at Leiden. *Nation*, *95*:304.

12 GREAT BRITAIN — SPAIN. Exchange of notes granting reciprocal recognition of tonnage certificates of merchant vessels. *Ga. de Madrid*, October 15.

16 HUNGARY — UNITED STATES. Ratifications exchanged at Washington of the copyright treaty signed at Budapest, January 30, 1912. *U. S. Treaty ser.*, No. 571.

17 FRANCE — GERMANY. Exchange at Berlin of ratifications of the agreement signed February 2, 1912, concerning the nationality of persons in the exchanged African territory. *Mém. dipl.*, *50*:515.

18–20 SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE INTERPARLIAMENTARY UNION met at Geneva. The next session will be at The Hague. *Times*, September 19, 21.

19 INTERNATIONAL PRISON COMMISSION holds meeting in Paris to make preliminary arrangements for the Congress to be held in London in 1915. *Times*, September 11.

23–28 FIFTEENTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF HYGIENE AND DEMOGRAPHY met at Washington. *P. A. U.*, *35*:476; *Independent*, *73*:805; Mitchell, "A World's Congress on Hygiene." *American R. of Rs.*, *46*:593–596; *American Economic R.*, *1*:453.

September, 1912.

23–28 NINETEENTH INTERNATIONAL PEACE CONGRESS met at Geneva. *Times*, September 24.

24 First joint meeting of the German and English committees of the KING EDWARD VII BRITISH-GERMAN FOUNDATION held in London. *Times*, September 28.

24–28 FIFTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE met at Boston. *Independent, 73*:802; *P. A. U., 35*:469.

25 INTERNATIONAL PHARMACEUTIC FEDERATION met at The Hague. *R. Scientifique*, September 21.

28 FRANCE — GERMANY. Declarations signed at Paris regarding (1) French Equatorial Africa and the Cameroons; (2) Dahomey and Sudan and Togo. *Times*, September 30; *J. O.*, October 10. See conventions of July 23, 1897, and November 4, 1911.

October, 1912.

3–8 INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON RADIOLOGY AND ELECTROLOGY met at Prague. *R. Scientifique*, September 14.

4 INTERNATIONAL ENGINEERING AND MACHINERY EXHIBITION opened at London. *Times*, October 3.

8 BALKAN STATES — TURKEY. Montenegro declares war against Turkey. Russia and Austria address joint note to Bulgaria. October 13, identic note to Turkey and identic reply to Russo-Austrian note. October 17, Turkey declares war against Bulgaria and Servia, and Greece declares war against Turkey. *Times*, October 8 and later.

9–16 THIRD INTERNATIONAL ARCHÆOLOGICAL CONGRESS met at Rome. *Times*, October 10.

15 ITALY — TURKEY. Protocol of peace preliminaries signed at Ouchy. *American R. of Rs., 46*:536; *Times*, October 16, 19, partial text. E. Capel Cure, "The Treaty of Lausanne." *National R., 60*:576–590. See October 18, below.

15 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TIME RECKONING opened at the Paris Observatory. *Science, 36*:626.

16 FOURTH INTERNATIONAL ART CONGRESS met at Rome. *Times*, October 17.

17–23 INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF COMPARATIVE PATHOLOGY met at Paris. *R. Scientifique*, October 5.

October, 1912.

18 ITALY — TURKEY. Treaty of peace signed at Lausanne. *Q. dipl.*, *34*:570.

19–27 FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF ELECTROCULTURE met at Rheims. *R. Scientifique*, August 31.

21–24 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC opened at Brussels. *Times*, October 22.

26 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE REGULATION OF EXHIBITIONS signed at Berlin. *Times*, October 28. The conference met October 7.

26–31. GREAT BRITAIN — JAPAN. Exchange of notes at Tokyo for the reciprocal waiver of consular fees on certificates of origin relating to exports. *Treaty ser.*, No. 23, 1912.

26–November 10. FOURTH INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION OF AERIAL LOCOMOTION was held at Paris. *R. Scientifique*, September 7.

27–30 THIRD INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE PERIODICAL PRESS met at Paris. *R. Scientifique*, August 24.

28 CHINA. Protest against the salt gabelle was signed at Peking by the eleven Powers, parties to the peace protocol, for presentation to the Chinese Government. *Times*, October 29.

28 FRANCE — ITALY. Declaration signed at Paris in reference to Morocco and Libya respectively. *Times*, October 29.

28 RUSSIA — TURKEY. The Hague Tribunal began consideration of the Russian claim for interest on deferred indemnity payments. *Times*, October 29. The sentence was rendered November 11.

30 BRAZIL — PERU. Mixed Boundary Commission under protocol signed at Rio de Janeiro April 30, 1912, began its labors. *President's Message* (Lima), July 28, 1912.

30 GERMANY — GREAT BRITAIN. A conference opened at London for the promotion of a better understanding between the two countries. *Times*, October 31.

ADHESIONS.

Circulation of Automobiles, Paris, October 11, 1909.
Greece. *B. Usuel*, July 26.

The Geneva Convention (Red Cross), July 6, 1906.
Bulgaria. *B. Usuel*, June 15.

The Hague Convention, 1907.
Luxembourg, I, III–XI, XIII, XIV.

Portugal, I–VII, IX–XI, XIII, XIV.
Roumania, I–XI. All in *J. O.*, October 27.

Protection of Literary and Artistic Works, Berlin, November 13, 1908.
Great Britain, Denmark. *B. Usuel*, August 1.
Already ratified by Germany, Belgium, Spain, France, Haiti, Japan, Liberia, Luxembourg, Monaco, Norway, Portugal, Switzerland, and Tunis.

Circulation of Obscene Literature, Paris, May 4, 1910.
Ratifications: Spain, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Belgium, Denmark, United States, France, Great Britain, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal, Russia, and Switzerland.
Adhesions: Luxembourg, Norway, German Colonies, Zanzibar, Canada, South African Union, Newfoundland, New Zealand, and Australia. *Ga. de Madrid*, September 3.

Sugar Convention, Brussels, March 17, 1912.
Switzerland. *B. Usuel*, July 29.
Sweden. *B. Usuel*, August 2.
Peru *B. Usuel*, August 31.
Great Britain will withdraw in September, 1913. *Times*, August 31.
Italy, ditto. *Q. dipl.*, *34*:371.

White Slave Convention, Paris, May 4, 1910.
Spain, Austria-Hungary, France, Great Britain, Netherlands, Russia, and Germany. *Ga. de Madrid*, September 18.

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